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WHITE HOUSE FOR DR. KISSINGER

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SUBJECT: CALL ON FOREIGN MINISTER SCHUMANN

1. IN A CALL ON THE FOREIGN MINISTER THIS MORNING, HE EXPRESSED HIS DISAPPOINTMENT OVER THE WAY INITIATIVE WAS STARTED. HE WAS DISAPPOINTED THAT ITALY, ARABS AND ISRAELIS TOLD ABOUT INITIATIVES BEFORE FRENCH, STATING IT DEPRECATED FOUR POWER TALKS.

2. FIRST IMPACT OF PROCEDURE: HE WILL BE SURPRISED IF THERE IS NO LEAKAGE STATED NOT RIGHT THING TO DO, AS THIS IS A SPECIAL TIME WHEN GAP BETWEEN OURSELVES AND RUSSIA NARROWER THAN IT HAS BEEN LAST 12 MONTHS. ON THE OTHER HAND, HE WAS PLEASED THAT WE WERE ENCOURAGING JARRING NEGOTIATE, WHICH THE FRENCH HAD SUGGESTED TO SISCO. WITHDRAWAL EFFORT REASONABLE APPROACH ACCORDING TO SCHUMANN. URGED ME TO SUGGEST WASHINGTON TO BRING BACK NEGOTIATION TO FRAMEWORK OF FOUR AS SOON AS REACTION OF COUNTRIES RECIEVED.

3. SCHUMANN MUCH MORE RESTRAINED WITH ME THAN ALPHAND WAS WITH BLAKE, AND UNDERNETH IT ALL MY REACTION IS THAT HE IS PLEASED WITH INITIATIVE.

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